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CLAIMS

1. An anchoring system for portable barricades or barriers, comprising of a base portion having an outer housing of a rigid or semi-rigid material defining a cavity space therein adapted to contain a fluidic ballasting material, said base portion having a preformed raised central region adapted to straddle a part of a portable barricade support frame or trestle cross-bar to prevent or to restrict relative movement of said support frame or trestle, said base portion having an upper surface adapted to receive an upwardly vertically-extending post member, which is attachable to said base portion.
2. An anchoring system for portable barricades or barriers according to claim 1, wherein the base portion comprises a truncated inverted V-shaped vessel having a fluid-fillable cavity space therein adapted to contain a quantity of a fluid material to provide variable anchorage weight to said anchoring system.
3. An anchoring system according to claim 1 or claim 2, further comprising a said upwardly vertically-extending post member attachable to said base portion.
4. An anchoring system according to claim 3, wherein the post member is attachable to the base portion by means of an interlocking bayonet coupling between component parts of the base portion and the post member.
5. A portable bollard or stanchion, comprising a base portion having an outer housing of a rigid or semi-rigid material, defining a cavity space therein adapted to contain a fluidic ballasting material, and an upwardly vertically-extending post member attachable to said base portion, wherein said base portion has a raised central region adapted to straddle a part of a portable barricade support frame or trestle cross-bar.

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6. A portable bollard or stanchion according to claim 5, wherein said base portion comprises a truncated inverted V-shaped vessel having a fluid-fillable cavity-space therein adapted to contain a quantity of a fluid material to provide variable anchorage weight to said portable bollard or stanchion.
7. A portable bollard or stanchion according to claim 5 or claim 6, wherein the post member is attachable to the base portion by means of an interlocking bayonet coupling between component parts of the base portion and the post member.
8. A portable bollard or stanchion according to any one of claims 5 to 7, wherein the upper end of the post member incorporates or includes light emitting means.
9. A portable bollard or stanchion according to claim 8, wherein the light emitting means is a solar powered rechargeable light source, optionally including photoelectric cells means for automatic on/off switching between day and night.
10. A portable bollard or stanchion according to any one of claims 5 to 9, including light reflecting means.
11. A portable bollard or stanchion according to any one of claims 5 to 10, adapted to support rigid or flexible barrier or barricade means.
12. A portable bollard or stanchion according to claim 11, wherein an upper end of the post member is slotted to receive and support one or more elongated barrier boards.

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